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Emerson Electric Co., et al. v. Morgan Crucible Co., PLC, et al., E.D. Michigan, C.A. No. 2:05-73655

## CONDITIONAL TRANSFER ORDER (CTO-2)

On April 21, 2003, the Panel transferred six civil actions to the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey for coordinated or consolidated pretrial proceedings pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1407. Since that time, six additional actions have been transferred to the District of New Jersey. With the consent of that court, all such actions have been assigned to the Honorable Jerome B. Simandle.

It appears that the action on this conditional transfer order involves questions of fact which are common to the actions previously transferred to the District of New Jersey and assigned to Judge Simandle.

Pursuant to Rule 7.4 of the Rules of Procedure of the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation. 199 F.R.D. 425, 435-36 (2001), this action is transferred under 28 U.S.C. § 1407 to the District of New Jersey for the reasons stated in the order of April 21, 2003, 259 F.Supp.2d 1374 (J.P.M.L. 2003), and, with the consent of that court, assigned to the Honorable Jerome B. Simandle.

This order does not become effective until it is filed in the Office of the Clerk of the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey. The transmittal of this order to said Clerk shall be staved fifteen (15) days from the entry thereof and if any party files a notice of opposition with the Clerk of the Panel within this fifteen (15) day period, the stay will be continued until further order of the Panel.

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Re: MDL-1514 -- In re Electrical Carbon Products Antitrust Litigation

Emerson Electric Co., et al. v. Morgan Crucible Co., PLC, et al., E.D. Michigan, C.A. No. 2:05-73655

Dear Mr. Walsh:

I am enclosing a certified copy and one additional copy of a conditional transfer order filed by the Panel in the above-captioned matter on October 17, 2005. As stipulated in Rule 7.4(a) of the Rules of Procedure of the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation, 199 F.R.D. 425, 435-36 (2001), transmittal of the order has been stayed 15 days to give any party an opportunity to oppose the transfer. The 15-day period has now elapsed, no opposition was received, and the order is directed to you for filing.

The Panel's governing statute, 28 U.S.C. §1407, requires that the transferee clerk "...transmit a certified copy of the Panel's order to transfer to the clerk of the district court from which the action is being transferred."

A list of involved counsel is attached.

Very truly,

Michael J. Beck Clerk of the Panel

Deputy Clerk

Attachment

cc: Transferee Judge:

Judge Jerome B. Simandle Judge Victoria A. Roberts

Transferor Judge: Transferor Clerk:

David J. Weaver

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